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Application Number	09/845,597
Filing Date	April 30, 2001
Group Art Unit	1772
Examiner Name	Unassigned

As a below named inventor, i hereby declare that:

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Glass/Ceramic Coatings for Implants

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was filed on (MM/DD/YY) **April 30, 2001** as United States Application Number of **1431 International**.

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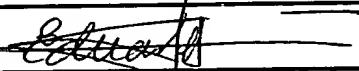
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